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Serial No: 09/121,725 Examiner: Drew Becker

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For:

"A Process of Elimination of

Bacteria in Shellfish, of Shucking Shellfish and an Apparatus Therefor"

To the Honorable Commissioner of Patent and Trademarks Washington, D.C. 20231

# NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board from the decision of the Primary Examiner mailed finally rejecting claims 3, 4, 6, 7, and 27.

The item(s) checked below are appropriate:

### STATUS OF APPLICANT

This application is on behalf of a small entity already filed on July 24, 1998.

#### FEE FOR FILING NOTICE OF APPEAL

Pursuant to 37 CFR 1.17(e) the fee for filing the Notice of Appeal is: x Small entity \$165.00

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